

## ABSTRACT

A color television receiver system processes color difference signals for providing tint control while maintaining uniform color amplitude with respect to changes in hue

5 shift angle. The color difference signals are modified as a function of each other and as a function of a hue shift angle to produce modified color difference signals. A color difference signal [B-Y] is supplied as a first input to multipliers M1 and M3. Another color difference signal [R-Y] is supplied as a first input to another pair of multipliers M2 and M4. A control signal generator produces output signals  $\sin \theta$  and  $\cos \theta$  where  $\theta$  is the hue shift angle. The

10  $\sin \theta$  signal is supplied as a second input to multipliers M1 and M4 while the  $\cos \theta$  signal is supplied as a second input to multipliers M2 and M3. The outputs of M1 and M2 are added in an adder A1 to produce a modified output [R-Y']. Similarly, the output of multiplier M3 is provided as a positive input to adder A2 whereas the output of multiplier M4 is provided as a negative input to adder A2 to produce a modified color difference signal [B-Y']. The modified 15 color difference signals [R-Y'] and [B-Y'] represent a color vector having an amplitude A that remains substantially constant over a relatively wide range of hue shift angles  $\theta$ .

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